

GIS FEE SURVEY

Interview Summaries

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GIS Fees Survey Form

Aurora, Colorado

Boulder County, Colorado ■

Des Moines, Iowa ●

Ft. Collins, Colorado

Green Bay, Wisconsin

Jefferson County, Colorado ■

Johnson County, Kansas ■

Kentucky, State of

Las Vegas/Clark County, Nevada ■

Lexington, Kentucky ●

Omaha, Nebraska

Scotts Bluff County, Nebraska ■

Tucson, Arizona ■

*Government Access & Information Committee:
Subcommittee on Information Access Fees
and Cost Recovery*

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City/County, State: _____

Agency Name: _____

Contact Name/Phone: _____

Establish Presence of GIS Function:

- Does your agency have an in-house, automated GIS operation? (Includes computerized mapping and data management.)
- Does your agency sell GIS data and graphic files in a digital format? (i.e., via tape, diskettes, WEB site, dial-in or other network connection, etc.) Or alternatively, does your agency have a fee mechanism for supporting your GIS operation (such as a filing fee dedicated to GIS.)

Fee Directed Questions:

1. ***What type of GIS data and graphic files does your agency sell?*** (For example, this could include land base, cadastral, topographic, land use, zoning or other developed-based information.)
2. ***What does your agency charge for the information?*** (If there is a fee schedule available, please try to get then to send/fax us a copy.)
3. ***How did your agency go about developing the fee schedule? What type of information was used? Or was the fee schedule set independently by state statute and/or local ordinance?***

4. *If statutes or ordinance were involved, did you find them helpful or harmful? (Request a copy of the statute or ordinance if it sounds applicable to our situation.)*

5. *How do you regulate the resale of the information? Or is that not an issue?*

6. *Approximately how much revenue do you generate in a year through the sale of GIS digital products? (or filing fees if applicable)?*

7. *How is the revenue used? And if applicable, on what basis is it allocated to the various agencies that contribute to your GIS operation ?*

Interviewer/Date